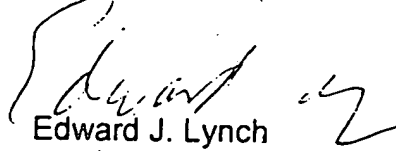


An attached sheet provides marked up copies of the claims and specification indicating the claims made thereto by the above amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

--RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a divisional [continuation] application of copending application Serial No. 09/010,380, [of Brett Cryer for INTRAVASCULAR CATHETER WITH EXPANDED DISTAL TIP,] filed January 21, 2000, incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.--

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. An intraluminal catheter comprising:
  - a) an elongated catheter shaft having proximal and distal ends, a port in the distal end, and an inner lumen extending at least within a distal portion of the catheter shaft to the port in the distal end; and
  - b) a distal extremity of the catheter shaft having a tubular portion with a expanded section of cylindrical shape having an outer diameter greater than an outer diameter of an unexpanded section of the tubular portion proximal to the expanded section.